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<u>Title: System and Method for Therapy and Diagnosis Comprising Translatory Distributor</u> for Distribution of Radiation

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- 1. EP 0523417
- 2. EP 0280397
- 3. WO 03041575
- 4. EP 1314451
- 5. WO 02074339
- 6. JP 4343317
- 7. "Feasibility study of a system for combined light dosimetry and interstitial photodynamic treatment of massive tumors" by Thomas Johansson, et. al. Applied Optics/Vol.41, No.7, March 1, 2002

The above-cited documents were cited in an International Search Report in a corresponding application or were cited in the specification. A copy of the Examination report is submitted herewith. It is respectfully requested that the above listed documents be considered and made part of the record in the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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